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Attorney Docket No.: 018563-002400US

Client Ref. No.: AT00098-Conf. 6714

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MUHAMMAD CHISHTI et al.

Application No.: 09/756,885

Filed: January 9, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
DISTRIBUTING PATIENT
REFERRALS

Customer No.: 46718

Confirmation No. 6714

Examiner: Lena Najarian

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3626

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
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Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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Extension of Time Request

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Information Disclosure Statement

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Drawing(s)

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Licensing-related Papers

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Petition

☐Petition to Convert to a
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